

IN THE CLAIMS:

Please cancel Claims 1, 5, 6, 10 and 11 without prejudice or disclaimer of subject matter. Please amend the remaining claims, as follows:

1. (Cancelled)

2. (Currently Amended) A color image communication apparatus

comprising:

a communication circuit for performing communications with an opposite device;

a printer unit, in which a color cartridge for normal color printing or a high-definition color cartridge for high-definition color printing is selectively loaded, for color or monochrome-printing an image received by the communication circuit ~~in~~ on a recording medium;

a memory for storing the image;

detecting means for detecting a state of the printer unit;

setting means for setting validation or invalidation of an alternative memory reception function to store the received image in the memory if printing is inexecutable in the printer unit; ~~and~~

presetting means for presetting permission or non-permission of received image printing carried out by using the high-definition color cartridge; and

communication control means for performing control as to whether color reception ability declaration is made in self machine ability declaration, said control being performed during call incoming according to a detecting result of the detecting means, if the alternative memory reception function is set to be invalid by ~~the~~ said setting means, wherein, even when said setting means invalidates alternative memory reception and said detecting means detects that the printer unit is in a state capable of performing printing, if said presetting means presets non-permission of received image printing by the high-definition color cartridge, said communication control means controls such that the color reception ability declaration is not made.

3. (Original) A color image communication apparatus according to claim 2, wherein if the detecting means detects the inexecutable state of printing in the printer unit, the communication control means rejects a call.

4. (Original) A color image communication apparatus according to claim 2, wherein the communication control means makes color reception ability declaration if the color printing is enabled in the printer unit, and does not make color reception declaration if color printing is inexecutable while monochrome printing is enabled.

5. and 6. (Cancelled)

7. (Currently Amended) A control method of a color image communication apparatus including a communication circuit for performing communications with an opposite device, a printer unit, in which a color cartridge for normal color printing or a high-definition color cartridge for high-definition color printing is selectively loaded, for color or monochrome-printing an image received by the communication circuit in on a recording medium, and a memory for storing the image, comprising the steps of:

setting validation or invalidation of an alternative memory reception function to store the received image in the memory if printing is inexecutable in the printing unit;

presetting permission or non-permission of received image printing carried out by using the high-definition color cartridge;

detecting a state of the printer unit; and

performing control as to whether color reception ability declaration is made in self machine ability declaration, said control being performed during call incoming according to a detecting result in the detecting step, if the alternative memory reception function is set to be invalid in the setting step,

wherein, even when said setting step invalidates alternative memory reception and said detecting step detects that the printer unit is in a state capable of performing printing, if said presetting step presets non-permission of received image printing by the high-definition color cartridge, said communication control step controls such that the color reception ability declaration is not made.

8. (Original) A control method according to claim 7, wherein if an inexecutable state of printing of the printer unit is detected in the detecting step, a call is rejected.

9. (Original) A control method according to claim 7, wherein color reception ability declaration is made in self machine ability declaration if color printing is enabled in the printer unit, and color reception ability declaration is not made if color printing is inexecutable while monochrome printing is enabled.

10. and 11. (Cancelled)

12. (Currently Amended) A computer readable storage medium storing:
a program used to cause a color image communication apparatus to execute processing steps, the color image communication apparatus including a communication circuit for performing communications with an opposite device, a printer unit, in which a color cartridge for normal color printing or a high-definition color cartridge for high-definition color printing is selectively loaded, for color or monochrome-printing an image received by the communication circuit ~~in~~ on a recording medium, and a memory for storing the image, and

said program comprising the processing steps of:

setting validation or invalidation of an alternative memory reception function to store the received image in the memory if printing is inexecutable in the printer unit;

presetting permission or non-permission of received image printing carried out by using the high-definition color cartridge;

detecting a state of the printer unit; and

performing control as to whether color reception ability declaration is made in self machine ability declaration, said control being performed during call incoming according to a detecting result in the detecting step, if the alternative memory reception function is set to be invalid in the setting step,

wherein, even when said setting step invalidates alternative memory reception and said detecting step detects that the printer unit is in a state capable of performing printing, if said presetting step presets non-permission of received image printing by the high-definition color cartridge, said communication control step controls such that the color reception ability declaration is not made.

Please add the following new claims:

13. (New) A color image communication apparatus comprising:
a communication circuit for performing communications with an opposite device;

a printer unit, in which a color cartridge for normal color printing or a high-definition color cartridge for high-definition color printing is selectively loaded, for color or monochrome-printing an image received by the communication circuit on a recording medium;

a memory for storing the image;

detecting means for detecting a state of the printer unit;

setting means for setting validation or invalidation of an alternative memory reception function to store the received image in the memory;

presetting means for presetting permission or non-permission of received image printing carried out by using the high-definition color cartridge; and

communication control means for performing control as to whether color reception ability declaration is made in self machine ability declaration, said control being performed during call incoming according to a detecting result of the detecting means, if the alternative memory reception function is set to be invalid by said setting means,

wherein, even when said setting means invalidates alternative memory reception and said detecting means detects that the printer unit is in a state capable of performing printing, if said presetting means presets non-permission of received image printing by the high-definition color cartridge, said communication control means controls such that the color reception ability declaration is not made.

14. (New) A control method of a color image communication apparatus including a communication circuit for performing communications with an opposite

device, a printer unit, in which a color cartridge for normal color printing or a high-definition color cartridge for high-definition color printing is selectively loaded, for color or monochrome-printing an image received by the communication circuit on a recording medium, and a memory for storing the image, comprising the steps of:

setting validation or invalidation of an alternative memory reception function to store the received image in the memory;

presetting permission or non-permission of received image printing carried out by using the high-definition color cartridge;

detecting a state of the printer unit; and

performing control as to whether color reception ability declaration is made in self machine ability declaration, said control being performed during call incoming according to a detecting result in the detecting step, if the alternative memory reception function is set to be invalid in the setting step,

wherein, even when said setting step invalidates alternative memory reception and said detecting step detects that the printer unit is in a state capable of performing printing, if said presetting step presets non-permission of received image printing by the high-definition color cartridge, said communication control step controls such that the color reception ability declaration is not made.

15. (New) A computer readable storage medium storing:

a program used to cause a color image communication apparatus to execute processing steps, the color image communication apparatus including a communication

circuit for performing communications with an opposite device, a printer unit, in which a color cartridge for normal color printing or a high-definition color cartridge for high-definition color printing is selectively loaded, for color or monochrome-printing an image received by the communication circuit on a recording medium, and a memory for storing the image, and

said program comprising the processing steps of:

setting validation or invalidation of an alternative memory reception function to store the received image in the memory;

presetting permission or non-permission of received image printing carried out by using the high-definition color cartridge;

detecting a state of the printer unit; and

performing control as to whether color reception ability declaration is made in self machine ability declaration, said control being performed during call incoming according to a detecting result in the detecting step, if the alternative memory reception function is set to be invalid in the setting step,

wherein, even when said setting step invalidates alternative memory reception and said detecting step detects that the printer unit is in a state capable of performing printing, if said presetting step presets non-permission of received image printing by the high-definition color cartridge, said communication control step controls such that the color reception ability declaration is not made.